CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LODI CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS THURSDAY, JULY 6, 1978

An adjourned regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor James Pinkerton.

PRESENT:

Councilmen - Hughes, Katnich, Katzakian, McCarty and Pinkerton (Mayor)

ALSO PRESENT WERE: City Manager Henry A. Glaves, Assistant City Manager Jerry L. Glenn, City Attorney Mullen and City Clerk Reimche. All City Department Heads, with the exception of Chief of Police Marc Yates were present and in the audience.

ROLL CALL

Attendance was recorded by City Clerk Reimche.

1978-79 BUDGET (6-21(b)

Assistant City Manager Glenn continued with the review of the proposed 1978-79 Budget.

Each departmental Budget was scrutinized with the following budget cuts being proposed. Each Department Head responded to questions as posed by the City Council regarding their budget.

1. CITY CLERK

Travel \$600.00
Postage 100.00
\$700.00

2. ELECTION

No Change.

3. CITY COUNCIL

Travel

\$2,500.00

4. CONTINGENCIES

No Change.

5. SPECIAL PAYMENTS

Discussion with no firm proposals.

1978-79 BUDGET (continued)

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6. CITY ATTORNEY

Full Time City Attorney position for part of the year. \$16,750.00

7. REFUSE COLLECTION

No Change.

8. INSURANCE

No Change.

9. PENSION FUND

No Change.

10. BOND DEBT

No Change.

ll. CITY MANAGER

Travel

\$ 2,260.00

Personnel Functions 8,900.00

Oral Board Meals

700.00

\$11,860.00

12. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Travel

Administration \$ 2,000.00
Building Inspection 655.00

\$ 2,655.00

RECESS

Mayor Pinkerton declared a five-minute recess and the City Council reconvened at approximately 9:15 p.m.

13. FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Travel

\$1,155.00

Part Time Help

2,000.00

\$ 3,155.00

1978-79 BUDGET (continued)

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14.	FIRE DEPARTMENT	
	Error in Budget	
	Preparation	\$ 1,500.00
	Travel	2,000.00
	Personnel	17,000.00
		\$20,500.00
15.	PUBLIC WORKS	
	Travel	\$ 3,000.00
	Memberships	200.00
	Repairs to Equipment	7,000.00
	Part-Time Summer Help	21,000.00
	Electric Service	9,000.00
	Personnel	13,000.00
		\$53,200.00
16.	RECREATION DEPARTMENT	
	Travel	\$ 1,200.00
	After School Playground Program	4,200.00
	Rifle Range	1,500.00
	Fire Works	3,500.00
	Outdoor Activites/ Concerts in Parks	500.00
	Flag Football/Summer Track Program	800.00
	Closing of Lodi High Pool for Recreational Swimming	7,200.00
	Personnel	19,923.00
		\$ 38,823.00
17.	UTILITY DEPARTMENT	
	Travel Administration	\$ 2,300.00
	Memberships	200.00
	Travel-Engineering	500.00

250.00

Radio Receiver

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1978-79 BUDGET (Continued)

17. UTILITY DEPARTMENT (Continued)

Hydraulic Pavement
Breaker \$ 1,425.00

Personnel 12,000.00

\$16,675.00

18. POLICE DEPARTMENT

Assistant Animal
Control Officer \$ 15,000.00

Canine Program 2,600.00

Discontinue Investigating
Accidents 2,000.00

Salary Absorption 25,000.00

Police Vehicles 17,375.00

Travel 1,000.00

\$62,975.00

19. LIBRARY \$ 44,000.00

TOTAL \$273,793.00

Additional Revenue was also proposed as follows:

a) CITY CLERK

Fees for reproductions of requested documents \$ 750.00

b) COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Increased fees for EIRs 8,000.00

c) PUBLIC WORKS

Safer Off Systems
Road Funds \$18,000.00

City Manager Glaves also pointed out that it is now estimated that because of increase in postage rates, the proposed budget for postage should be increased by \$3800.00.

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1978-79 BUDGET (Continued) Parks and Recreation Director Ed DeBenedetti pointed out increased charges being proposed by the School District for the use of school gyms and suggested that fees for recreational programs using these facilities be increased accordingly.

FINANCE DIRECTOR AUTHORIZED TO PAY JULY BILLS

Following introduction of the matter, Councilman Katzakian moved that the Finance Director be authorized to pay July 1978 bills. The motion was seconded by Mayor Pinkerton and carried by unanimous vote.

C-P ZONING MORATORIUM EXTENDED

Following introduction of the matter by City Manager Glaves and Council discussion, Council, on motion of Councilman Katnich. extended the moratorium placed on all residential permits in C-P zones throughout the City (Resolution No. 4443 adopted December 14, 1977) to July 19, 1978. The motion was seconded by Councilman McCarty and carried by unanimous vote.

SPECIAL LEAGUE MEETING BEING HELD

City Manager Glaves reminded the Council of the League of California Cities special meeting - entitled "Maintaining Responsive Cities Under Proposition 13" being held in Sacramento July 7-8,

FURTHER BUDGET CUTS PROPOSED BY COUNCILMAN McCARTY

Councilman McCarty warned the Council that the City of Lodi will be facing a "deadly serious" situation next year and that the time to begin is

right now, recommending that the Council begin by cutting a monthly stipend for individual Countilmen by 50%; reduce the overall travel budget by \$20,000; reduce payments to various groups and organizations a flat \$10,000; a reduction in management and mid-management salaries; and elimination of salary bonuses.

As an alternate, Councilman McCarty listed assistant department head positions that he recommended be eliminated.

Councilman McCarty further recommended that a freeze be placed on all special taxes levied as fees unless authorized by a majority vote of the Council.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Pinkerton adjourned the meeting at approximately 10:40 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 12, 1978.

Attest:

ALICE M. REIMCHE CITY CLERK